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TAGS: OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A)

SUBJECT: LETTER FROM SECRETARY TO MINISTER ANSARY

1. PLEASE FORWARD FOLLOWING RESPONSE FROM THE SECRETARY
TO ANSARY'S MESSAGE.

2. BEGIN TEXT:

DEAR MR. MINISTER:

YOUR MESSAGE TO ME ABOUT THE RECENT JOINT COMMISSION
MEETING HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO ME IN THE MIDDLE EAST, AND
I WANT TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR THOUGHTFULNESS IN TAKING TIME
FROM YOUR BUSY SCHEDULE TO WRITE ME.

I FULLY AGREE WITH YOU THAT OUR JOINT COMMISSION MEETING
IN WASHINGTON WAS AN EVENT OF HIGH IMPORTANCE AND THAT
THE DECISIONS WE REACHED WILL HAVE FAR-REACHING IMPACT.
WE INTEND, AS I KNOW YOU DO, TO DO EVERYTHING WE CAN TO
MAINTAIN THE MOMENTUM THAT HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED AND TO
ENSURE THAT THE AMBITIOUS GOALS WE HAVE SET FOR U.S.-
IRANIAN ECONOMIC COOPERATION ARE ACHIEVED.

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IT WAS A GREAT PERSONAL AS WELL AS OFFICIAL PLEASURE
FOR ME TO RECEIVE YOU AND YOUR COLLEAGUES IN WASHINGTON.
YOUR PERSONAL CONTRIBUTION WAS ESSENTIAL TO THE SUCCESS
OF OUR EFFORTS, AND I VERY MUCH LOOK FORWARD TO CON-
TINUING OUR ASSOCIATION BOTH WITHIN AND OUTSIDE OF THE
COMMISSION.

FINALLY I HAVE ASKED GEORGE SHULTZ TO GET IN TOUCH WITH
YOU TO DISCUSS SOME OF THE MATTERS WE HAVE TALKED ABOUT.

WARM PERSONAL REGARDS, HENRY A. KISSINGER. END TEXT.
ROBINSON

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